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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE THE APPLICATION OF

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FOR: Allocating Internet Protocol (IP) Addresses
to Nodes in Communications Networks
Which Use Integrated IS-IS

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136, the applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of one month to respond to the Notice of Panel Decision dated February 8, 2006.

Response will therefore be timely if filed with the Patent and Trademark Office no later than April 10, 2006 (April 8, 2006 being a Saturday).

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.17, the required fee of \$120 is attached hereto.

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